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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D. C. 20231 Sir:

In response to the Notice to Comply dated May, 5,1999, please amend this application as follows:

In the Specification

Please amend the specification to include the sequence listing as enclosed. There is support for the amendment in the application as filed. The substitute sheets include no new matter, see 37 CFR 1.825(a).

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